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TITLE:

TWO-STAGE PLASMA PROCESS FOR CONVERTING WASTE INTO

FUEL GAS AND APPARATUS THEREFOR

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RESPONSE TO NOTIFICATION OF MISSING REQUIREMENTS & SUBMITTAL OF COMBINED DECLARATION & POWER OF ATTORNEY

Dear Sir:

This is in response to the notice dated August 31, 2006 to file missing parts of application, a copy of which is attached.

Applicant submits herewith the original Combined Declaration & Power of Attorney.

The Commissioner is authorized to charge our Deposit Account No. 12-0400 in the amount of the government fee for late filing of the Combined Declaration & Power of Attorney, which is believed to be \$130.

Respectfully submitted,

October 27, 2006

Date

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NOTIFICATION OF MISSING REQUIREMENTS UNDER 35 U.S.C. 371 IN THE UNITED STATES DESIGNATED/ELECTED OFFICE (DO/EO/US)

The following items have been submitted by the applicant or the IB to the United States Patent and Trademark Office as a Designated / Elected Office (37 CFR 1.495).

- Copy of the International Application filed on 10/04/2005
- Copy of the International Search Report filed on 10/04/2005
- Copy of IPE Report filed on 10/04/2005
- Copy of Annexes to the IPER filed on 10/04/2005
- Preliminary Amendments filed on 10/04/2005
- Oath or Declaration filed on 10/04/2005
- Request for Immediate Examination filed on 10/04/2005
- U.S. Basic National Fees filed on 10/04/2005

The applicant needs to satisfy supplemental fees problems indicated below.

The following items MUST be furnished within the period set forth below in order to complete the requirements for acceptance under 35 U.S.C. 371:

- Oath or declaration of the inventors, in compliance with 37 CFR 1.497(a) and (b), identifying the application by the International application number and international filing date. The current oath or declaration does not comply with 37 CFR 1.497(a) and (b) in that it:
 - is not executed in accordance with either 37 CFR 1.66 or 37 CFR 1.68.
- To avoid abandonment, a surcharge (for late submission of filing fee, search fee, examination fee or oath or declaration) as set forth in 37 CFR 1.492(h) of \$130 for a non-small entity, must be submitted with the missing items identified in this letter.

SUMMARY OF FEES DUE:

Total additional fees required for this application is \$130 for a Large Entity:

• \$130 Surcharge.

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ALL OF THE ITEMS SET FORTH ABOVE MUST BE SUBMITTED WITHIN TWO (2) MONTHS FROM THE DATE OF THIS NOTICE OR BY 32 MONTHS FROM THE PRIORITY DATE FOR THE APPLICATION, WHICHEVER IS LATER. FAILURE TO PROPERLY RESPOND WILL RESULT IN ABANDONMENT.

The time period set above may be extended by filing a petition and fee for extension of time under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

Applicant is reminded that any communications to the United States Patent and Trademark Office must be mailed to the address given in the heading and include the U.S. application no. shown above (37 CFR 1.5)

A copy of this notice MUST be returned with the response.

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